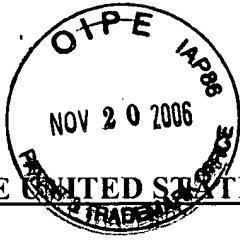


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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 4, 2006, please amend the above identified application as follows:

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on November 15, 2006

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Account No. 50-1145, Order No. 007075.115828.